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Figaro (his Valet)	- - - - -		JAMES PEASE
Doctor Bartolo (a Physician)	- - - - -		HOWELL GLYNNE
Cherubino (a Page)	- - - - -		PATRICIA KERN
Antonio (a Gardener)	- - - - -		MARTIN DEMPSEY
Barbarina (his Daughter)	- - - - -		MARGARET NISBETT
Don Basilio (a Singing Teacher)	- - - - -		KEVIN MILLER
Don Curzio (Counsellor at Law)	- - - - -		NIVEN MILLER
Countess Almaviva (Rosina)	- - - - -		ANNE BOLLINGER
Susanna (her Maid, affianced to Figaro)	- - - - -		ADELE LEIGH
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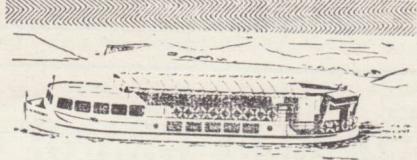
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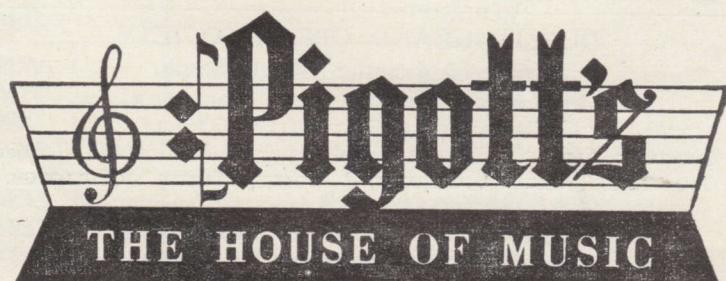
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